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For: Systems Involving Voltage-Tunable Quantum-Well Infrared Photodetectors  
(QWIPs) and Related Methods

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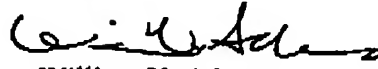
Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed 11/01/2005 having a period for response set to expire on 02/01/2006. Applicant respectfully requests the Commissioner under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified Application for three months until 05/01/2006.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3) of \$1020 or any such fee which may be required to Deposit Account 19-2201, the United States Army Materiel Command.

Respectfully submitted,

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